

Fall / Christmas 2013



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Parks & Recreation

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Facility Hours

Community Center

Monday-Friday: 9 a.m.-9 p.m.
Saturday: 10 a.m.-3 p.m.

Game Room

Monday-Friday: 3-8:30 p.m.
Saturday: 10 a.m.-2:30 p.m.

Kingsdale

Monday-Friday: 3:30-5:30 p.m.

Earl Dunn Gym

Monday-Thursday: 6 a.m.-9 p.m.
Friday: 6 a.m.-6 p.m.
Saturday: 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

Maxwell Senior Center

Monday-Friday: 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Dow Park Skate Park

Monday-Friday: 5-8 p.m.
Saturday: 3-9 p.m.
Sunday: 12-6 p.m.

You must have a skate park I.D. to enter the park.

Revised Refund Policy

1-day or 2-day Programs

There will not be a refund if the office is not notified of withdrawal at least 24 hours before the start of the program. Refunds must be requested in person at the Parks and Recreation Department office, Monday through Friday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

3-day Programs or longer

If the participant attends one class, there is a possibility of a refund. If the participant attended more than one class, there will not be a refund. Any participant eligible for a refund must request the refund no later than 1 week from the start date of the program. Refunds must be requested in person at the Parks and Recreation Department office, Monday through Friday, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Errors and Adjustments

While we try to be accurate when this brochure is printed, we are not perfect. There is so much information to communicate; there may be some unavoidable errors or changes to the programs, fees, schedules and other information herein. The Parks and Recreation Department reserves the right to make any adjustments deemed necessary and apologizes for any inconvenience this may cause.

Pay Online to Play

To create an account online, visit activenet.active.com/dprecreation. Once you have an account, you can register or pay for classes online, view your daily schedule, review your account information and payment history or change your password. It's convenient, easy and a secure way of accessing our services 24 hours a day, 7 days a week! For questions, contact Brad Harrington at bharrington@deerparktx.org.

Accepted Forms of Payment

Payments may be made through cash, money order, cashier's check or major credit card only.

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Parks, Recreation and Open Space Master Plan



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View the Master Plan online at www.deerparktx.gov/recreation

Basic Dog Obedience #3259

Training your dog using positive reinforcement, will start the process of teaching your dog to focus on you and helping him learn to listen to you. We will guide you in the proper use of positive reinforcement as we teach you how to instruct your dog with simple commands that will help him to be a better family member.

Tuesday

7-8 p.m.

\$75 per session

Sept. 3-Oct. 22

(Oct. 22 class held in Rm. 12 of Deer Park Community Center.)

Jimmy Burke Activity Center

Call Bren for more info.

281-998-7683

A Fond Farewell

After more than 20 years helping others train their 4 legged family members, Bren Osborn will be giving her last command. Over the years Bren has worked with many wonderful people and fantastic dogs and we would like to thank her for all that she has done for the Deer Park Parks and Recreation Department. We are sad to see Bren go and wish her well as she trains her dog Picasso for his career as a therapy dog. Her last bit of advice is "remember the training of a dog is not an overnight deal, it is a life long commitment. Remember to work with your dog every day, never forget your commitment to them. Lots of love on your part will give you a return of love back." Once again, thank you Bren for all of your hard work.



Worldwide Day of Play

Nickelodeon's Worldwide Day of Play is an entire day devoted to play! To celebrate, Nickelodeon is going off the air from Noon to 3 p.m. to encourage you to get outside and play. So don't just sit there. Go play! That goes for the parents too! During this time the Parks and Recreation Department will have games, inflatables, refreshments, music and more for the entire family to enjoy. There is no charge for this celebration of fun and togetherness.

Hot dogs and bottled water for the first 100 participants

Saturday

Sept. 21

12-3 p.m.

-Facepainting

-Inflatables

-Geocaching in the park (Bring a smart phone)

12:30 p.m.

-3 legged race

1 p.m.

-Water balloon toss

2 p.m.

-Pool relay races (Must be able to swim. Bring or wear bathing suit.)

Dow Park (near the pool)

In case of rain, limited activities will be held inside the Community Center.

Sponsored in part by Jolly Jumpers Moonwalk Rentals.

Hunter's Education Course

To legally hunt in the State of Texas you need certification. The Texas Parks and Wildlife Department in conjunction with the City of Deer Park Parks and Recreation offer this classroom course that will permit/certify you to legally hunt in the State of Texas. Certification is good for a lifetime. Contact James Davis at 832-498-1609 or at moonshinejgd@yahoo.com for registration.

Ages 9 and over

Avon Recreation Center

\$15/per person

Fees benefit Texas Parks and Wildlife

Saturday

8:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

Sunday

1-5 p.m.

Session 1: Aug. 17-18

Session 2: Sept. 14-15

Session 3: Sept. 28-29

Session 4: Oct. 19-20

Session 5: Nov. 16-17

Session 6: Dec. 14-15



Concealed Handgun Class #3255

This course covers the rules and regulations to obtain a license to carry a concealed firearm in the State of Texas, as well as the safety, maintenance and storage of a firearm. Open to ages 21 and over or 18 years old if actively serving in the military. Instructor CPT Benjamin J. Whitfield.

\$100 for Participants

\$90 for Deer Park Educators

\$70 for City Employees

\$70 for DPVFD

\$60 for Active Military/Reserve

\$40 for Police Officers

Cost does not include \$15 range fee, paid directly to range.

Session 1: Oct. 5

Session 2: Nov. 2

Session 3: Jan. 4

8:30 a.m.-4 p.m. or until all members have successfully qualified

Deer Park Community Center

Room 17

L1 Identity in Pasadena is the closest location for digital fingerprinting. This is required before the start of class.

www.tchconcealed.com

Brazos Bend Introductory Hike #3165

Join us as we travel to Brazos Bend State Park to enjoy a hike through one of our state's great park. We will be hiking about 3 miles and seeing all that Brazos Bend State Park has to offer. Children ages 6-13 able to keep up are welcome to join us with a guardian. Children 14-17 can attend without a guardian, but must provide a signed waiver. Remember to bring shoes for hiking, layers, sunscreen, a hat, water, a camera and anything else you might want.

Ages 6 and Up (Some Restrictions)

Monday (No School for D.P.I.S.D.)

Oct. 7

8 a.m.-1 p.m.

\$15 per person

(price includes transportation, entry to park and a snack)

Meet at Community Center Rm. 12

Registration ends Oct. 1

Turkey Shoot # 3161

It's time for the annual Turkey Shoot again! Equipment will be provided for all participants. No personal equipment is allowed. Participants will be divided into four age groups beginning at age 6 (18 and up will compete in Archery only). Winners in each division will win a prize.

Age 6 and Up

Tuesday

Nov. 26

6-9 p.m.

\$2/person (Through Nov. 10)

\$5/person (After Nov. 10)

Jimmy Burke Activity Center

500 W. 13th Street



Turkey Camp #3184

Gobble till you wobble with fun this year on Thanksgiving Break with arts & crafts, games and field trips. You will be so stuffed full of fun after 3 days, there won't be any room for turkey! Don't be a turkey, sign up today! Open to the first 45 participants.

Age: 6-11

Nov. 25-27

Regular Hours

7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m.

\$75

Extended Care Hours

7 a.m.-6 p.m.

\$90

(Must Register in advance for extended care)

Jimmy Burke Activity Center



Family Camp Out #3160

Join us for our second camp out in the city! Get ready for some fun and games, smores around a fire, an outdoor movie on our big screen and a night full of family memories. Campfire chili dogs will be available for dinner and a small breakfast with coffee and hot chocolate on Saturday morning. Bathrooms will be available throughout the night. Make sure to bring a tent, sleeping bags, warm clothes and anything else you might need to make your family camp out comfortable. Electricity will not be available.

Open to All Ages

Friday-Saturday

Sept. 27-28

Through Sept. 12

6 p.m.-8:30 a.m.

\$10 per adult

\$7 per child

Registration ends Sept. 20.

Avon Recreation Center

After Sept. 13

\$15 per adult

\$10 per child

Movie in the Park

Come and enjoy two more movies this Fall in Dow Park on our giant movie screen! Bring your lawn chairs and blankets and get ready for two great family movies.

Movies will start at 7:30 p.m.

Free Admission to Movie

(Refreshments available for purchase)

Sat.

October 12: Wreck It Ralph

December 14: How the Grinch Stole Christmas

Dow Park Pavilion

(In the event of inclement weather, the movie will be rescheduled for a later date.)



Please visit our website for up to date information regarding the movies that will be shown and the weather plan (if needed).

www.deerparktx.gov/recreation

Wild Child Destination #3188

On Monday November 4th, school is out and we are planning a day of fun with Wild Child Destinations! All day we will be hitting different hot spots of fun. Places such as Space Center Houston, lunch at Fudruckers and then to Putt Putt Fun House. Don't miss your chance to go wild for a day with us.

Ages 6-11

\$35 per person

Monday (No School for D.P.I.S.D.)

Nov. 4

9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Open to the first 25 participants

Meet at the Community Center

Santa Sleep Over #3166

It's Christmas time and we're calling all little elves to come enjoy a night of fun. We will start by taking a ride down to Moody Gardens to view the Festival of Lights. After that we will return to the Community Center to play games, watch movies and eat snacks. Please eat dinner before arriving. Please bring a sleeping bag, comfortable clothes, a pillow and a change of clothes. A minimum number of participants is required; the maximum is 50.

Ages 5-11

\$35 per elf

Fri. and Sat.

Dec. 20-21

7:30 p.m.-7 a.m.

Community Center

Room 6

Late pick up fees will be enforced.



Breakfast with Santa #3180

Breakfast with Santa is a meal you sure won't want to miss. Santa will be making a special stop at the event before heading off to the North Pole to finish up last minute presents. Come enjoy a morning of wish list making, crafts, breakfast and Santa himself. All participants will receive McDonald's Big Deluxe Breakfast. Breakfast is limited to the first 50 children so don't delay, sign up today.

\$10 per child

\$5 per adult

Saturday

Dec. 14

9 a.m.

Community Center

Room 12

This is a self paced breakfast. All craft supplies are given to participants when they arrive and supervision is required to enhance the event. Must have a ticket for this event

Santa Calling

Santa is calling all good little boys and girls to talk about their Christmas wishes this year. Fill out the Santa calling form and you will get a holiday jingle. Forms can be found online at www.deerparktx.gov or at the Deer Park Community Center starting Nov. 4. Forms can be returned to the Community Center or emailed to barevalo@deerparktx.org.

Call is Free

Calls will be made Tue. Dec. 10 and

Thur. Dec. 12 between 6-8:30 p.m.

No make up calls after Dec. 12th. This is intended for children who can hold a conversation with Santa and believe.

Elf Camp #3187

On Dasher, on Dancer, on Prancer and Vixen... Parents don't miss an opportunity to get all of your last minute Christmas list taken care of before the reindeer depart from the North Pole. This will be a day of FUN for all the little elves in your life. There will be games, cooking, arts & crafts and lots of ho ho ho laughter! Open to the first 25 Elves!

Ages 6-11

\$20 per Elf

Monday

Dec. 23

9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Bring a sack lunch

Sleigh Ride #3167

Hot chocolate, cookies and Christmas lights...sounds like fun to me! Join us once again as we load up the sleighs and enjoy Deer Park's Holiday Spirit! Reservations must be made in advance and spaces are limited. Children must be accompanied by an adult and a waiver must be signed for each participant.

Limit 60 participants per ride

\$5 per rider per ride

Dec. 18

Wednesday Group Night (Open for clubs and organizations)

Dec. 19-Dec. 21

Thursday-Saturday (Family and Friends Nights)

A maximum of 10 seats can be reserved by one person.

First 200 riders to sign up will receive Sleigh Ride mugs.

1st ride- 6:15-7:30 p.m.

2nd ride- 7:15-8:30 p.m.

Meet at the Deer Park Community Center

610 E. San Augustine

First day to reserve seating will be Monday, October 7 at 9 a.m.

Payment must be received at time of registration.





One Day Fun Day #3162

Join us on these exciting one day camps during Christmas break! Each day will hold a field trip and games that you don't want to miss. Sign up for one or both, your choice! Minimum number of participants required.

Grades K-6th
\$25 per day

Jan. 2: Moody Gardens
Jan. 3: Space Center Houston
7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m.
Claude Burgess Center

E.M. Maxwell Adult Center Holiday Banquet

The annual Maxwell Center Holiday Banquet is scheduled for December 13th at 6:00 p.m. at the Jimmy Burke Activity Center. Be sure to join us for night full of Holiday fun and festivities. For more details or to make reservations please call 281-478-7276.

Dec. 12
6 p.m.
Jimmy Burke Activity Center
500 W. 13th Street

Getting Paid to Talk #3254

This exciting class will explore numerous aspects of voice over work for television, film, radio, audio books, documentaries and the internet in your area. We will cover all the basics, including how to prepare the all-important demo, how to be successful and how to earn great income in this exciting field. For information about class visit www.voicecoaches.com/gppt. Space is limited, ages 18 years and up.

\$10
Monday
Nov. 18
6:30-9 p.m.
Community Center
Room 10

Market Days of Deer Park

On Market Days, Dow Park is a great place to browse for local products, from produce to candles and much more. Market Days are every 3rd Saturday of the month, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. There is no entry fee for attendees. If you are interested in being a vendor please contact Betty Geck at marketdays@yahoo.com.

Third Saturday of Each Month:

Sept. 21
Oct. 19
Nov. 16
Dec. 21
Jan. 18

Dow Park
9 a.m.-1 p.m.

Art Park Dancers

The Art Park Dancers is a dynamic dance program offered by the Parks and Recreation Department. Every year hundreds of dancers tap, spin and twirl their way around the dance floor at the Deer Park Community Center. With years of dance experience, Alice Miller makes sure that all aspiring dancers receive the highest quality instruction.

Enrollment for the Dance Program (excluding adult tap, jazz, and senior line dance) is based on a waitlist. To be added to the waitlist please contact us at 281-478-2050.

Classes are offered for ages 2 years old and up in the following disciplines:

- Ballet (ages 2 and Up)
- Tap (ages 3 and Up)
- Hip Hop (ages 6-18)
- Jazz (ages 6 and up)
- Lyrical (ages 11-18)

For more information about the Art Park Dancers visit our new Parks and Recreation website at www.deerparktx.gov/recreation.

Community Center Preschool

The Community Center Preschool offers the highest standard in preschool education. Our goal is to help develop a strong self-concept in every child through individual instruction. We strive to promote mental, social, and emotional growth as your child grows. Contact us at communitycenterpreschool@yahoo.com.

Half-Day (8 a.m.-12 p.m.)

2 Day (Tue. / Thur.)
3 Day (Mon. / Wed. / Fri.)
5 Day (Mon.-Fri.)

Registration Fee

\$80
\$90
\$100

Monthly Fee

\$120
\$150
\$215

Full Day (8 a.m.-2 p.m.)

2 Day (Tue. / Thur.)
3 Day (Mon. / Wed. / Fri.)
5 Day (Mon.-Fri.)

\$80
\$90
\$100

\$150
\$190
\$285

Junior Art Park Players 2013 Fall Semester Schedule

\$80 per class

MONDAYS:

4:30-5:30: The Company Acting Class
4:30-5:30: 4&5 Yr. Old Musical Theatre Class
5:30-6:30: 13-18 Yr. Old Musical Theatre Class

TUESDAYS:

4:30-5:30: Vocal Performance Class
4:30-5:30: 6&7 Yr. Old Musical Theatre Class
5:30-6:30: 8&9 Yr. Old Musical Theatre Class

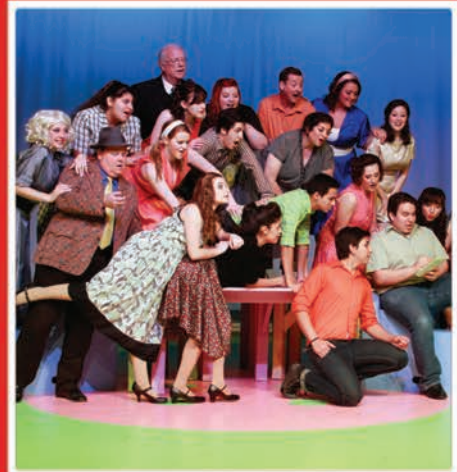
WEDNESDAYS:

4:30-5:30: 10 Yr. Old Musical Theatre Class
5:30-6:30: 11&12 Yr. Old Musical Theatre Class

THURSDAYS:

4:30-6:30: REACTION Performing Group

Private lessons are available upon request:
Please call 281-478-7288 for information on all
classes.



ART PARK PLAYERS

2013 FALL SEMESTER

9/16: JAPP Fall Semester begins.
10/11 - 10/26: Dinner Theatre Production, *Lend Me a Tenor*
12/3 - 12/6: JAPP Christmas Production, *Scrooge The Musical*
12/7: APP Christmas Dinner Theatre
12/2 - 12/7: *The Louise McBee Circle of Life*, *Circle of Wreaths* Fundraiser benefiting The Rose
12/2- 12/7: *Angels in the Arts* Craft Show

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Zumba Fitness #3114

Ditch that boring workout! Join Zumba, the fastest growing fitness craze in the world and experience an exciting, high energy workout while achieving your fitness goals! There is no wrong way to Zumba Zumba is for men and women of all fitness abilities.

Ages 16 and up
\$68 per session (2 days a week)
\$10 Drop in Fee
Tue. & Thur.

7:30-8:30 p.m.

Session 1: Sept. 3-26

Session 2: Oct. 8-29

(Oct. 31 class rescheduled to Oct. 28)

Session 3: Nov. 5-26

(Nov. 28 class rescheduled to Nov. 25)

Session 4: Dec. 3-19

(Mini Session)

Session 5: Jan. 6-30

Community Center
Room 12

Zumba Morning Sessions

\$30 per session

Mondays

9:30-10:30 a.m.

Session 1: Sept. 9-30

Session 2: Oct. 7-28

Session 3: Nov. 4-25

Session 4: Dec. 2-23

Session 5: Jan. 6-27

Community Center
Room 12

Yoga for Health & Well-Being #3261

Joni Kyle, 200 RYT, will offer yoga classes that focus on meditation, yoga flow, cool down, and relaxation. Yoga is a non-competitive, non-judgemental form of mind/body exercise that works to develop strength, cultivate flexibility, as well as toning muscles, improving balance and coordination and eliminating toxins from the body. Yoga also helps reduce tension and stress by soothing the central nervous system. All levels welcome.

6:45-7:45 p.m.

1 Day a Week (*Monday Only*)-\$55

2 Day a Week (Mon and Wed)-\$95

Single class - \$15

Classes must meet minimum registration numbers in order to be held.

Session I: Sep. 2-30

Session II: Oct. 2-30

Session III: Nov. 4-25

Session IV: Dec. 2-30

Session V: Jan. 6-29

Claude Burgess Center

4200 Kalwick

Ladies Low Impact Aerobics #3249

Class includes cardiovascular exercise to elevate the heart rate, plus sculpting and weights. No contracts or sign up fees.

\$20/month early registration

\$30/month after the 5th of the month
Mon., Wed. & Fri.

8:30-9:30 a.m.

Community Center

Room 6

Pilates #3236

Strengthen and tone your body, improve your posture, regain balance and burn calories. For teens and adults. Certified instructor Manny Rodriguez.

Tues. & Thurs.

\$40/month early registration

\$50/month after the 5th of the month
Tues. or Thurs.

\$20/month early registration

\$30/month after the 5th of the month

Drop-in fee: \$7

6:30-7:30 p.m.

No Class in December.

Community Center

Room 6

Over the Hill Softball League #3329

Baby Boomers, play ball!!! Stay active and have fun playing in a co-ed softball league this fall. League play begins September 16th for 8 weeks every Monday. Games begin at 6:30 p.m. Games played at the Adult Softball Complex.

This league is designed for men over 50 and women over 40

Last day to register: Sept. 9

\$300 per team

Contact Scott Lightfoot for more information at slightfoot@deerparktx.org

Fall Adult Softball League 2013

Sign up for the City of Deer Park Fall league for Adult Softball. All leagues are 8 weeks of scheduled doubleheader games. League play begins the week of September 19th. Payment must be made for your spot to be secure and you have the option to play in the following leagues:

Tue.: Co-Recreation # 3278

Thur.: Men's Competitive # 3279

\$420 for registration

\$400 for teams returning from
Summer 2013

All Teams are ASA Registered

All Officials are ASA Certified



One Day Kid Fit Camp #3281

Inspiring and encouraging the youth of today to get busy, stay active and be healthy. New this fall is a one day camp filled with fitness for youth. The day will be jam-packed with obstacle training, nutrition, circuits, sports, strength and conditioning and a field trip to SkyZone! If you've got a young one that you'd like to inspire to be on the healthy road, send them our way for this day of fun, adventure, team sport activity and education. It's a day you won't want to miss and one for every type of child out there. Open to 28 kids.

Ages 6-12
\$30 per Camper
Monday (no school for DPISD)
Nov. 4
7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m.
Earl Dunn Gym

All campers need 2 drinks, a snack and a sack lunch for the day. An afternoon snack will be provided.

Please wear tennis shoes and comfortable clothes

Camp held by Lacy Stole (certified through American Council on Exercise and holds a degree in Exercise and Sports Science with emphasis in Health and Fitness Management.)

Deer Park Junior Tennis Program #3145

Introducing tennis programs designed for all ability levels ages 5-17 years. The Deer Park Community Center is now taking registrations for the Fall 2013 Junior Tennis Development Programs. Our traditional Saturday program focuses on beginner thru intermediate tennis development and is directed by Coach Joel and Coach Chris. We also offer mid week tennis classes for intermediate thru advanced levels. USPTA Developmental Coach, Ted Geier, directs our mid week tennis classes.

1 class per week:\$89
2 classes per week: \$178
Session 1: Sept. 17-Oct. 26
Session 2: Oct. 29-Dec. 14 (no classes Thanksgiving week)

Saturday class times: (Coach Joel & Coach Chris)

Tennis Buddies

(Ages 5-8 beg.-adv./begin.)
Saturdays 8:30-9:30 a.m.

Future Stars

(Ages 9-14 beg.-adv./begin.)
Saturdays 9:45-10:45 a.m.

Performance Team(intermediate level)

Saturdays 9:45-10:45 a.m.

Mid week class times: (Coach Ted)

Performance Team (intermediate level)

Tues./Thurs. 5-6 p.m.

Tournament Tough (advanced level)

Tues./Thurs. 6-7 p.m.

Dow Park Tennis Courts

*Note: For the Performance Team, you may select multiple days (example: Tues./Sat.) mixing our mid-week and Saturday programs.



Youth Basketball #3320

Registration now open for 2014 City of Deer Park Youth Basketball League!

The number of teams in the league are determined by the amount of volunteer coaches that register for the season. Teams will be determined by a "blind draft" per age division regardless of what school they attend. Each player receives a basketball jersey, practices are twice a week and games are held on Saturdays at a DPISD gym.

\$60 per player (shirt size required)

Ages 7-12
Must be 8 years of age as of Sept. 1, 2013
Registration Deadline: Nov. 18, 2013

Register at the Deer Park Community Center or online!

Bravo Tumbling #3306

A Cheer Tumbling class to increase flexibility, tumbling and cheer skills. No experience required and everyone is welcome!

Classes held at the Jimmy Burke Activity Center

Level 1 Tumbling Session 1

Thursdays (Ages 4-8)

6:30-7:30 p.m.

Aug.8-Sept. 12

\$60

Limit 10 per class

Level 1 Tumbling Session 2

Thursdays (Ages 4-8)

6:30-7:30 p.m.

Oct. 3-Nov. 14 (No class on Oct. 31)

\$60

Limit 10 per class

www.bravocheer.com

Adult Kickball #3310

New this season is the Adult Co-ed kickball league for Men and Women. Co-ed teams play in a 6 week organized league on Wednesday nights at the Adult Softball Complex. League champions win their choice of a trophy or team t-shirts.

\$200 per team (8 players minimum)

Registration deadline:

Monday, Sept. 9

Manager's Meeting:

Sept. 12 at 6 p.m. (Earl Dunn Gym)

League games begin: Wednesday Sept. 18

Matches start at 6:30 p.m.

6 teams minimum

12 teams maximum



Deer Park Karate #3190

We teach Taekwondo and Shorin-Ryu. Within its content is a great variety of defensive and offensive maneuvers that will give everyone great fighting skills and the ability to defend him or herself in most situations.



Monday, Wednesday & Friday

\$40/month for 3 days a week

\$30/month for 2 days a week

participants must register each month

Tiny Dragons (Ages 4-6)

4:30-5:30 p.m.

Introductory Class (Ages 7-12)

6:40-7:15 p.m.

Beginner Class (Ages 7-12)

7:15-8 p.m.

Teen/Adult Class (Ages 13 & up)

8-8:45 p.m.

\$5 discount for parents of Karate students

Community Center

Room 6

\$10 a month will be added to the fees after the 5th of month

Safety and Self Defense for Women #3133

Learning self-defense is one of the most effective ways to improve our sense of security. This self-defense program is composed of basic blocking, striking, defensive and offensive maneuvers that are easy to learn, to remember and are easy to execute.

\$50

Women

Ages 13 and up

Saturday

Sept. 7-28

1-2:30 p.m.

\$10 discount for mothers of current Karate students.

Community Center

Room 10

Adult Cardio Tennis #3311

Cardio Tennis – it's the ultimate high energy workout. A new and fun way to get in shape and burn calories. For more information, go to: www.cardiotennis.com.

\$65 for 1 class per week

\$130 for 2 classes per week

Monday & Wednesday

5:30-6:30 p.m.

Session 1: Sept. 16-Oct. 23

Session 2: Oct. 28-Dec. 11

Dow Park Tennis Courts

No classes Thanksgiving week

3 on 3 Tournament #3316

Round up your friends and join our 3 on 3 Men's Basketball double elimination tournament. Each of the teams is guaranteed 2 games. 5 player maximum ages 17 and older. Tournament is limited to 10 team maximum, so space is limited!

\$50 per team

All tournaments will be held in the Earl Dunn Gym

Sept. 21 #3317

Oct. 19 #3318

Nov. 9 #3319

Tips from Tiffany Poinsettias

Everyone loves Poinsettias around the holidays, but there has been some concern over their toxicity. Poinsettias belong to the genus Euphorbia. While there are a number of highly toxic plants in the genus, Poinsettias are not one of them. However, ingestion of the leaves has been known to cause nausea and vomiting. In addition, some people may be more sensitive than others and the milky sap may cause mild skin irritation. Place these plants in an area where children and pets cannot reach them. While this plant is not poisonous, it is never a good idea to eat house plants or plants that you are not certain are edible.

Once the holidays are over, you can continue to enjoy these plants by planting them in your yard. They like slightly moist acidic soil, partial shade and will need to be protected in a frost. Poinsettias can get leggy after planting, so give them a good pruning around April to encourage filling out.



Park Patrol

In an effort to maintain the standard and quality of parks the citizens of Deer Park deserve, the Parks and Recreation Department has joined up with the Deer Park Police to form the Park Patrol. If you are interested in being a part of the Park Patrol contact the Deer Park Police Department's Community Liason at 281-930-2118. We look forward to working with each and every person in this new endeavor.

Adopt-A-Spot

The Adopt-a-Spot program was created and designed to bring City of Deer Park citizens together in a mutual partnership to improve and maintain city esplanades, parks and green spaces. An Organization/Citizen may choose to adopt an esplanade, parks and designated city green space. By adopting a spot, organizations and citizens will be helping to provide long term support for the maintenance and aesthetic quality of their designated area. Tasks associated with the adoption may include trash pickup, weeding/raking landscape beds or playgrounds areas, mulching trees/shrubs and restocking doggie bags and much more depending on the adopted area's needs. The Adopt-a-Spot program is an opportunity for organizations and citizens to take pride in their community and support the quality of life for their community.

Adopt-a-Spot Opportunities

Organizations and citizens have the opportunity to choose from the following areas to adopt: street esplanades, designated city green spaces, parks and trails

Benefits

- Help to enhance the quality of life for the citizens in City of Deer Park.
- Earn credit for organization community service hour requirements.
- Receive deserved recognition with your name placed on a sign at your adoption site.

How to Adopt-a-Spot

1. Contact the City of Deer Park Parks and Recreation Department and request an Adopt-a-Spot application.
2. Review Adopt-a-Spot procedures and policies.
3. Submit the Adopt-a-Spot application to the City of Deer Park Parks and Recreation Department for approval.
4. Approval from City of Deer Park Parks board.
5. Organization or citizen group signs commitment contract.
6. Groups help to maintain and enhance the quality of life in the City of Deer Park

For more information, please contact the City of Deer Park Parks and Recreation Department at 281-478-2050 or visit online at www.deerparktx.gov.

Community Center 610 E. San Augustine

Resident Pricing

Room 6: Seats 100
-\$500 deposit
-\$50/hr (Mon.-Thur.)
-\$75/hr (Fri.-Sun.)

Room 12: Seats 150
-\$500 deposit
-\$50/hr (Mon.-Thur.)
-\$75/hr (Fri.-Sun.)

Room 17 or 18: Seats 30
-\$500 deposit
-\$40/hr (Mon.-Thur.)
-\$65/hr (Fri.-Sun.)

Non-Resident Pricing

Room 6: Seats 100
-\$500 deposit
-\$60/hr (Mon.-Thur.)
-\$85/hr (Fri.-Sun.)

Room 12: Seats 150
-\$500 deposit
-\$60/hr (Mon.-Thur.)
-\$85/hr (Fri.-Sun.)

Room 17 or 18: Seats 30
-\$500 deposit
-\$50/hr (Mon.-Thur.)
-\$75/hr (Fri.-Sun.)

Non-Resident rentals at this building require a 2 hour minimum.

Claude Burgess Center 4200 Kalwick Seats 90

Resident Pricing

-\$250 deposit
-\$50/hr (Mon.-Thur.)
-\$75/hr (Fri.-Sun.)

Non-Resident Pricing

-\$250 deposit
-\$60/hr (Mon.-Thur.)
-\$85/hr (Fri.-Sun.)

Non-Resident rentals at this building require a 2 hour minimum.



Jimmy Burke Activity Center 500 W. 13th Street Tables & Chairs for 600

Resident Pricing

Front Half
-\$500 deposit
-\$60/hr (Mon.-Thur.)
-\$85/hr (Fri.-Sun.)

Back Half
-\$500 deposit
-\$50/hr (Mon.-Thur.)
-\$75/hr (Fri.-Sun.)

Whole Building
-\$500 deposit
-\$75/hr (Mon.-Thur.)
-\$100/hr (Fri.-Sun.)

Non-Resident Pricing

Front Half
-\$500 deposit
-\$85/hr (Mon.-Thur.)
-\$110/hr (Fri.-Sun.)

Back Half
-\$500 deposit
-\$75/hr (Mon.-Thur.)
-\$100/hr (Fri.-Sun.)

Whole Building
-\$500 deposit
-\$100/hr (Mon.-Thur.)
-\$150/hr (Fri.-Sun.)

Non-Resident rentals at this building require a 6 hour minimum. Projector and sound available for a fee of \$50.

Police officers are required for an event of 100 people or more or if the event will have alcohol. Officers are paid in cash at the time of your event.

Dow Park Pavilion 610 E. San Augustine

Resident Pricing

-\$100 deposit
-\$5/hr (Mon.-Thur.)
-\$10/hr (Fri.-Sun.)

Non-Resident Pricing

-\$100 deposit
-\$10/hr (Mon.-Thur.)
-\$20/hr (Fri.-Sun.)



Let's Party Game Room Package

We all have those days when it's time to plan a celebration and it gets stressful trying to do so. If that's you, then have your party at the Deer Park Community Center and let us help take some of the load off your shoulders. Each party includes the rental room, tables/chairs and two hours of loaded exclusive fun in our game room. Available for up to 30 total people. Hours available are as follows:

Friday-5:30-8:30 p.m.
Saturday-1:30-4:30 p.m.

\$50 Deposit
Base Party Package
\$75 for Deer Park Residents
\$85 for Non-Residents
\$6 per pizza (available upon request)

Held at the Deer Park Community Center in our party Room 11. See the front office for registration and more information.





Maxwell Fitness Room

This fall the Maxwell Adult Center will be opening the doors to a brand new fitness room. The fitness room will be eligible for use by any adult 55 years of age and older. There will be multiple pieces of equipment for you to use such as a recumbant bike, treadmill, and elliptical.

281-478-7276
E.M. Maxwell Adult Center
1201 Center Street
www.deerparktx.gov/recreation

The Weight Room at Earl Dunn Gym

Come visit the Weight Room at the Earl Dunn Gym located at the Deer Park Community Center. It is great place to workout and experience smiling faces. It is free to all Deer Park Residents and is open Monday through Thursday, 6 a.m.-9 p.m., Friday, 6 a.m.-6 p.m. and on Saturday, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. For ages 16 and up.



E.M. Maxwell Adult Center

The E.M. Maxwell Adult Center is located at 1201 Center Street (corner of E. 12th and Center Street) and is used primarily for Senior Adult Activities and operates under the auspices of the Parks and Recreation Department. The age requirement for all activities and programs is 55. Classes include Ceramics, Quilting and Bridge. Activities include Bingo, Bridge, Dominoes, Cards, Hamburger Cookout, and Pool tournaments on a new regulation size table, and Holiday Parties. Trips include Liberty Opry, Bingo, and a variety of sightseeing trips of local interest. Groups include AARP and Senior Olympics. Lunch is served Monday through Friday at the Maxwell Center. Participants must register at least 3 days in advance, as required by the food vendor. Homebound Seniors may request an assessment for qualification for home-delivered meals. These meals are delivered Monday through Friday. A donation of \$2 per meal is recommended for the meals program. A computer is available to log onto the Social Security Administration's website as well as other senior activities websites.



Community Center Game Room

Come enjoy some good times in the Deer Park Game Room at the Community Center located at 610 E. San Augustine. We have pool tables, foosball, ping pong, pinball, Nintendo Wii and X-box Kinect for all to enjoy.

Membership good for 1 year from date of purchase

17 & Under \$10 (resident), \$20 (non-resident)

18 & Up \$7(resident), \$15 (non-resident)

Family: \$30 (resident), \$70 (non-resident) *up to 6 family members*

Mon.thru Fri.: 3-8:30 p.m.

Sat.: 10 a.m.-2:30 p.m.

Kingsdale Recreation Center

The Kingsdale Recreation Center has a pool table, ping pong table, a basketball goal located outside of the Recreation Center, and board games as well.

Membership good for 1 year from date of purchase

Mon.-Fri.: 3:30-5:30 p.m.

Cards are \$1

Dow Park Skate Park

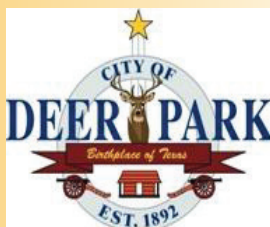
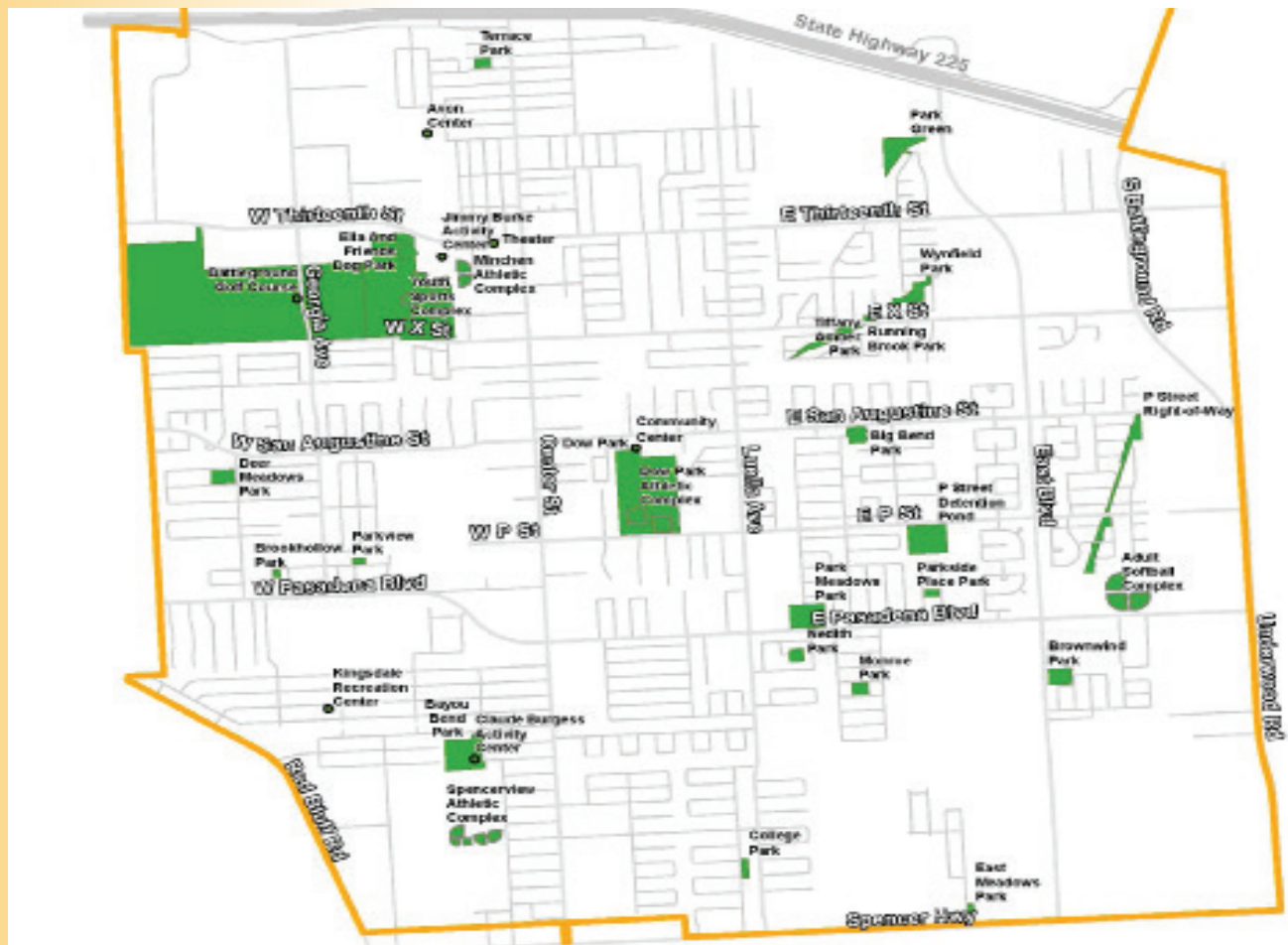
Come enjoy the Dow Park Skate Park and skate, roller blade, bike or scooter your way up and down the skate park ramps. The skate park is open Monday-Friday from 5-8 p.m., on Saturdays from 3-9 p.m. and on Sundays from 12-6 p.m. You must have a skate park I.D. to enter the park, which can be purchased in the game room during business hours.

Membership good for 1 year from date of purchase

17 & Under \$10.00 (resident), \$20 (non-resident)

18 & Up \$7.00 (resident), \$15.00 (non-resident)

Please check the website or our Facebook page for closures due to weather.



City of Deer Park Park Matrix

Park Name	Acres	Basketball Court	Fitness Equipment	Free Wi-Fi	Gazebo	Multi-purpose Open Space	Park Lights	Picnic Shelter	Picnic Tables	Playground Structure	Restrooms	Rose Garden	Skate Park	Sports Fields	Swimming Pool	Swings	Tennis Courts	Volleyball Court	Walking Trail (Miles)	Address
Bayou Bend Park	8	•			•	•	•	•	•	•					•				0.26	4200 Kalwick Dr
Big Bend Park	2.03	•			•		•	•	•						•					1600 Big Bend Lane
Brookhollow Park	0.69				•		•	•	•						•					3117 Brookhollow Dr
Brownwind Park	2.54	•			•				•							•				3901 Brownwind Trail
College Park	1	•			•		•	•	•						•					4615 College Park Dr
Deer Meadows Park	2.18	•	•		•	•	•	•	•						•		•		0.27	2500 Oklahoma Ave
Dow Park	40	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	1	610 E. San Augustine
East Meadows Park	0.79				•		•	•	•											5000 E. Meadows Dr
Ella and Friends Dog park	1.46		•		•	•	•	•	•											500 W. 13th Street
Monroe Park	1.6				•		•	•	•						•					1560 Monroe Street
Nedith Park	1.2	•			•	•	•	•	•						•					3717 Nedith Lane
Park Green	5.1	•			•		•	•	•						•					1000 Wynfield Dr
Park Meadows Park	5	•			•		•	•	•						•				0.27	1414 South Parkway Drive
Parkside Place Park	0.72	•			•		•	•	•						•				0.05	3400 Surrey Lane
Parkview Park	0.61				•		•	•	•						•					1109 Brookhollow Dr
P-Street Right-of-Way	7				•				•											2600 E. P Street
Running Brook Park	3	•			•	•	•	•	•						•					1400 Comanche Street
Terrace Park	1.1	•			•		•	•	•						•					126 West 3rd Street
Tiffany Amber Park	1.1				•		•	•	•						•					1800 Brookamber Circle
Wynfield Park	3	•			•	•	•	•	•						•			•		1610 Wyngate
P Street Detention Pond	7.94				•														0.43	1800 E. P Street

Haunted Maze

Jimmy Burke Activity Center, 500 W. 13th Street

It twists and turns and makes everything that is right, wrong and what is wrong is right. It's the Deer Park Parks and Recreation Annual Haunted Maze. The Maze holds something frightful around every corner and will keep you on your guard throughout.

Parental discretion is advised. We do not recommend young children participate. By entering you agree to the exposure of graphic scenes and interaction.

\$8/per person

Friday & Saturday, October 18 & 19, 7:30-11:30 p.m.

Friday & Saturday, October 25 & 26, 7:30-11:30 p.m.

We will stop selling tickets at 10:45 p.m. each night. There will be a 5 minute break for the actors at 9 p.m. and 10 p.m. each night.



Goblin Gallop 5k

Join us for our Annual Goblin Gallop, a certified USTAF event for men and women. There will be a 5K run and a kid's Monster Mile. Door prizes and refreshments will be available. The first 200 runners receive a T-shirt! A portion from every registration will benefit The Rose. Register by Sept. 30 to receive a t-shirt and water bottle.

Oct. 12

Saturday

5K

\$20 Pre-Registration

\$25 on Race Day (6:30-7:30 a.m.)

8 a.m. start time (5K)

Kid's Mile

\$10 Pre-registration

\$15 on Race Day (6:30-8:30 a.m.)

9 a.m. start time (kid's mile)

(Packet pick up: Oct. 11 from 12-7 p.m. at the Deer Park Community Center)



40th Annual Halloween Carnival

"Dr. Seuss"

Thursday, October 31 6-9 p.m. Jimmy Burke Activity Center, 500 W. 13th Street

Free parking and free admission to this special event for the whole family. Put on your craziest costume and let the spirit move you to enter the costume contest, hop on some carnival rides or enter the pumpkin carving/ decorating contest. There will be activities for the little ones including a free hay maze and fun games in Pumpkin Town. You can stroll down the friendly community streets of Pumpkin Town for plenty of great carnival games.

Tickets are 50 cents each or 3/\$1. Most games require 1-2 tickets and everyone wins!

Strut Your Stuff Costume Contest (6-8 p.m.)

No lines or time brackets. Sign up and strut your stuff.

1st, 2nd & 3rd in each category

\$2 per entry (\$6 groups of 3 or more)

Age groups are as follows:

Category 1: 3 & under

Category 2: 4-6

Category 3: 7-10

Category 4: 11-15

Category 5: 16 & up

Category 6: Family/Group

Best of Show wins \$100

Pumpkin Carving/Decorating Contest

(Drop off from 6-6:30 p.m. at the Jimmy Burke Activity Center)

\$75-1st place prize \$50-2nd place prize

\$25-3rd place prize in each category

Pumpkin Carving Categories:

Carved

Decorated

Carved & Decorated (Combo)

Children's Hay Maze 6-9 p.m.

Come wind your way around and through the children's hay maze for your chance to win a prize at the end.

Pumpkin Town 6:15-9 p.m.

Tickets are 50 cents each or 3/\$1. Most games require 1-2 tickets and everyone wins!

Ticket sales are from 6:15-8:45 p.m.

3rd Annual Reindeer Park

Friday
December
6th

6-9 p.m.

Saturday
December 7th
3-8:30 p.m.

Santa's Village Craft Vendors
Snow Areas



Christmas Tree Plaza

Lighted Parade

Tree Lighting



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